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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:)
Adzima et al.)
Serial No.: 09/935,267)
Confirmation No.: 9532)
Filed: August 28, 2001)
For: Powder Coated Roving For Making)
Structural Composite)

Group Art Unit: 1774

Examiner: J. Gray

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Assistant Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks

Washington, D. C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the December 18, 2002 office action, Applicant respectfully
traverses the restriction requirement and requests consideration and withdrawal of the
requirement.

Applicant provisionally elects Group I, claims 1-6, drawn to a composite roving,
classified in class 428, subclass 378, and provisionally cancels claims 7-26 without
prejudice or disclaimer.

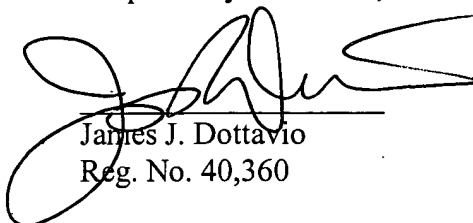
Applicant is adding new claims 27-37. No new matter is added with these
amendments, support is found in the specification as filed, as noted: Claim 27 (page 6,

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lines 11-12), Claims 28-29 (page 8, lines 2-9), Claim 30 (page 6, lines 6-8), Claims 31-33 (page 9, lines 20-27) and Claims 34-37 (pages 12-13, lines 24-3).

If any questions should arise with respect to the above remarks, or if it would in any way expedite the prosecution of this case, it is requested that the Examiner contact Applicants' attorney at the number listed below. If any fees are due in connection with the filing of this response, please charge all necessary fees to US Deposit Account 50-0568.

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